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## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the February 25, 2005 Office Action, applicants hereby request reconsideration of the above-identified patent application in view of the following remarks.



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## EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATION

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I hereby certify that this certification and the following papers and fees:

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- 2. Reply to Office Action; and
- 3. Return postcard

are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "EXPRESS MAIL POST OFFICE TO ADDRESSEE" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and are addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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#### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [] a Preliminary Amendment; [] Letter to Official Draftsperson; [X] a Reply to Office Action; [] a Declaration; [] a Power of Attorney; [] a Submission of Formal Drawings; [] formal drawings; to be filed in the above identified patent application.

## FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [X] A fee for additional claims is not required.
- [ ] A fee for additional claims is required.

  The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

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# EXTENSION FEE

[] The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith; [] \$120.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$450.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$1020.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$1590.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R.

- § 1.136 (a); [ ] \$2160.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).
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